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ROSTRON MEDAL

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advanced to the grade of master in recognition of the excellence of their work, and the following councillors were elected to serve for three years: Ralph Adams Cram, Louis C. Newhall, Mrs. F. A. Shaw, Arthur J. Stone, and H. Langford Warren.

The President of the Society is Professor H. Langford Warren of Harvard University. The Secretary and Treasurer is Mr. H. P. Macomber.

SCHOOL ART
LEAGUE,
NEW YORK

The spring calendar of the School Art League of New York is indicative of the breadth of its activities. Seven lectures are to be given for members, besides a series of talks for high school students and elementary teachers and pupils. Gallery visits are to be held in connection with several prominent exhibitions. Eight scholarships will be awarded to graduates of the city high schools. Over four hundred medals will also be given during the present year for fine craftsmanship in the city work shops and a number of schools will receive pictures and casts for school room decoration.

The success attending the League's lectures for teachers and pupils at the Metropolitan Museum has led the Trustees of the Brooklyn Institute of

Arts and Sciences to consider favorably similar co-operative relations with the schools.

The League's membership has doubled during the past year. The Bulletin of the League calls attention to the fact that there are many flourishing societies carrying on similar work in other cities. The Chicago Public School Art Society is particularly active in decorating the schools. During the last two years it has hung two hundred and forty-two works in twenty-one schools. It also circulates, in co-operation with the Chicago Society of Artists, a traveling loan collection of original paintings. Buffalo has a School Art Association which aids in establishing closer relations between the schools and the art museum, and there are organizations with similar aims in Columbus, Ohio; Evanston, Ill.; Houston, Tex.; Washington, D. C., and Worcester, Mass.

THE
ROSTRON
MEDAL

A reproduction is given above of the medal awarded by the United States to Captain Rostrom of the Cunard Line for gallantry displayed in rescuing the survivors of the Titanic disaster. This medal, presented with appropriate ceremonies, on March 1st, to Captain Rostrom by President Taft at the United States Capitol, was